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Caroline County, Md., of 103 acres, on the Choptank river, having a steamboat wharf on it, with a good scope of country to support it; with a fine kiln, good buildings, a large variety of fruit, convenient to churches and schools, only six miles from Easton, the largest business town on the Delaware Peninsula. \$10,000.

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William Pelt, Esq., of Denton, Md.

The above gentleman, will act as Supervisor.

Refer also to Charles Gossling, Esq., Speaker of the Delaware Senate; all the Leading Men, the Bank, the Editor of this Paper, and the Press of the Peninsula generally.

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Caroline Co. Ad., 1st February, 1871.

Original Poetry.

SOON.

Written for the Middletown Transcript by Alice.

The tempest's rage will soon be o'er,
Soon hatched the thunder's awful roar,
The lightning's flash be seen no more,
Twill soon be past.

The life with noisy cares oppressed,
The life with quiet joys blest,
The life that needed quiet rest
Will soon be o'er.

Then when my journeying is done,
Then when my race I've fully run,
I'll wait to hear Thee say, "Well done!"
"Thine art saved."

Then shall my robe be snowy white,
Then shall I see the glorious sight,
The throne all bathed in holy light,
And the Celestial One.

My life with joy broodeth
Oft! God, and give me strength to wait,
Till Thou shouldest the pearly gate
And let me in.

Wilmington, May, 1871.

MIDDLETON, NEW CASTLE COUNTY, DELAWARE, SATURDAY MORNING, MAY 13, 1871.

NO. 19.



Transcript.

blest thing" was wanting! She consulted scholars and philosophers, sent for magicians and astrologers, but none knew how to name that thing which for years she had not possessed.

In her restless desire she had ships equipped to cruise through all oceans and seas to visit every land, with orders not to return till the required articles had been found. The commander of her fleet put to sea, undecided whether to direct his ships. One part he sent to the East, another to the West, while he himself, with his remaining vessels, relied on the favors of the winds. It happened that, by a leak a part of the provisions became spoiled, and although there was no want of meat, wine, and other luxuries, the flour and bread had become unfit for food, and the want of it was soon felt most severely.

In this strait, the commander saw quickly what he must consider the best things the earth produced—not the spices and perfumes of India, nor the pearls from the depths of the sea, nor diamonds of most priceless value; but that universally threatening gift of nature, the indispensable and inestimable nourishing bread. He recognized now the sense of the obscure words spoken by the stranger, and his resolution was quickly made. He steered to a Baltic harbor, where he took in a full cargo of the finest wheat, with which he sailed to Stevoren. As soon as he arrived he appeared before Richelberta, who had not expected him so quickly, and announced to her that he now knew what was the best of all the earth's productions; had found it, and in abundance; had brought it with him. He then related, to his astonished mistress how he had obtained this knowledge, and that the mysterious guest could only have meant the failing bread. He, therefore, believed he had executed her order in a satisfactory manner.

But Richelberta was not of the same opinion. She cast reproachful looks at the confounded servant, and, painfully suppressing her rage, demanded to know on which side of the ships he had taken in the cargo. She was answered, "On the right side." "Well, then," said the haughty Richelberta, "I command you to cast the whole cargo into the sea from the left."

In vain were appeals and expostulations made to arrest the carrying out of this order; as loudly did the faithful servant beg of her not to destroy the rich gift of God, but at least to allay the wants of the poor, but by the wealthy vastly outnumbered them. High-life, luxury and magnificence, the usual companions of great riches, prevailed; for in foolish pride and vain ambition each citizen tried to outvie the other in pomp, splendor, and extravagant banquets. Tradition relates the many houses which equalled palaces in their grandeur. They were constructed of marble, the interiors ornamental with the most artistic decorations, covered with the richest tapestries, provided with the rarest furniture, the doors bound with the most precious metals, instead of iron.

But all the Stevoren merchants none could compare in riches with the virgin Richelberta. The success with which each of her speculations was rewarded, and not only returned each time with the richest profits, but loaded with the most expensive wares with ornaments of diamonds, pearls, and precious stones, which were employed in the palaces of their mistress and shone on its walls.

Such an example of good fortune Richelberta could not support with indifference, and it the maxim that "great misfortunes are easier to be borne than immoderate happiness," be true, Richelberta was destined to be a glaring proof of the truth of this assertion.

Her pride and vainglory kept step with the increase of her riches, and she showed this both by contempt for her fellow-creatures and by preparing the most luxuriant and extravagant feasts, less with the intention of amusement and gladdening the town, than to give her guests the opportunity to admire the ever-varying splendor of her apartments, and be astonished at the magnificence and on the food and wine, and thus excite their envy. At one of these sumptuous feasts, offering nothing to the mind and leaving the heart void, a strange guest was announced. He came, he said, from foreign countries; had seen many royal kingdoms and the splendor of their courts, and had come to judge Richelberta's riches, and found them to be ridiculous.

The flattered mistress begged the stranger to take a seat at her side. He appeared to be still a robust old man, in the picturesque costume of the Orient. His conduct was both dignified and noble as he stepped to Richelberta, expecting the welcome from her hand, which, according to the usage of his country, is given symbolically by the offering of bread and salt.

But there was no bread on the luxurious table, which glistened under its burden of rare, epicurean dishes, and from which the simple nourishment of poverty was banished.

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Silently the stranger seated himself, and while taking refreshment related, in a manner which found all eyes and ears upon him, of his travels by land and sea upon the world's舞台; but not so the virgin Richelberta. Her vanity could expect nothing else than that the stranger should be lead in his pride, and leave her.

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Willing L. Barry, a composer on the Lebanon (Tenn.) Herald, has just passed his ninety-first birthday. He is promptly at his ease at seven o'clock every morning and sets 6000 oms a day without the least difficulty. He began to set type 73 years ago, and still follows the business out of love for the art, having no need to work for money. Barry is still hale and vigorous, and full of animal spirits.

In vain did she attempt to obtain a fuller explanation of the strange guest, and, being questioned too pressingly, he disappeared, and was not seen again.

Richelberta's pride and curiosity, equally excited, allowed her no quietude. She possessed invaluables all that could be mentioned; however, "the best and no-

THE RELIGION OF BUSINESS.

The sentiment that religion is something essentially distinct and separate from life's every-day pursuits, although scarcely now declared or taught, still maintains a strong hold upon the minds of many. It is commonly felt that while it is possible to attain a virtuous character, and live a religious life in the midst of life's toils and pleasures, it must be rather in spite of them than by means of them; that they have nothing in their own nature to calculate to inspire the heart to spiritual good, but that their tendency to the contrary leads rather in an opposite direction. It is assumed that daily occupations, excepting a very few, such as those of the religious teacher or author, must bring into exercise a set of powers and faculties wholly distinct from those by which we cultivate the religious principles; and that we thus live, as it were, two lives, one of business and one of religion, each of which prospers best by being kept apart from the other. It is admitted that the practical pursuits of life are not only necessary and useful, but are the natural results of the laws by which the world is governed, and yet with singular inconsistency they are thought to have no bearing upon the noblest designs of Providence.

The truth is, that every pursuit which is righteous and honest is also calculated to develop the best human qualities, and its tendency is rather to strengthen and expand the spirit of religion than to weaken or contract it. That this is not always the case is due not to the nature of the tasks themselves, but to the violation of the laws which should govern their exercise, and the spirit which should enter them. All toil has its grand meaning, though it may be hidden below the surface. We see the laborious effort, the monotonous process, the weary frame, but we cannot see the spirit of love that animates the toiler, as he thinks of the wife and children that will be sustained and gladdened by the result of his patient labor; we cannot discern those sweet home affections which, though they may be mingled with much imperfection, are yet sacred and dear to every heart, and are at once the main-pride and the reward of much that might otherwise be unmeaning drudgery.

Other occupations, united with this element, add additional sources of improvement to the higher nature of man. The scientific discoverer, who is constantly exploring new wonders of nature, the physician who studies the intricacies of the human frame, the philosopher who deals with the profoundest depths of the mind—these and many others, from the special nature of their employments, as far as they appreciate and obey the true spirits of their vocations, will be led by them to the cultivation of those principles which lie at the foundation of a religious character. The business of the lawyer is often considered especially calculated to dull his moral sense, and to mar the purity of his mind. But rightly considered, the great duty of the legal profession is the establishment of justice in the world, and the maintenance of right between man and man. If the lawyer does this, he is contributing to the righteousness of mankind, and his profession becomes corrupt, is not the fault of their vocation, but because they fail to recognize the high and noble duties which their positions require, and fall below the true spirit of their labor. It is they who degrade their calling, not the calling itself. The true Christian lawyer, who regards his calling as a divine trust, and not as a means of personal gain, will be a blessing to the world.

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Young Men.—Most young men consider it a great misfortune to be poor, or not have capital enough to establish themselves at their outset of life in a good business. This is a mistaken notion. So far from poverty being a misfortune to him, if we may judge from what we every day behold, it is really a blessing; the change is more than ten to one against the youth who starts with plenty of money. Let any one look back twenty years, and see how commenced business at that time with abundant means, and trace them down to the present day—how many of these now boast of wealth and standing! On the contrary, how many have become poor, lost their places in society, and are passed by their own boon companions, with a look which painfully says, I know you not!

FORGED NAILS.—A new style of nails has been patented, and is, we understand, coming into market. The invention consists in splitting the point in such a way that, in driving, it spreads the metal, and holds it firmly. This is done by the use of a special apparatus which we have introduced into this country.

Such views will not lead us to reverse religion less, but rather to appreciate its expensiveness, and to welcome its development, perhaps hitherto unknown. Whatever in any pursuit we find hostile to religion, that let us purge out, and thus purify and ennoble it. But there is so much that is good and inspiring, and elevating in every honest calling, that it is a sin to do otherwise. The highest spiritual idea of excellence that any age possesses is embodied in its paintings, its sculptures, its books. Even in their lighter forms, where only innocent recreation is sought, there is nothing irredeemable, but much that draws men away from coarse pleasures to those more pure and refining. The moral defects that we lament are often introduced into them, not native to the art, but the result of the浅薄 of the artist.

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In England it is a common remark that you may know a nobleman by his plain dress, and by the absence of all jewelry. And I will add, that everywhere you may know a shoddy pretender by an excessive display of jewelry.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

All linen hem-stitched handkerchiefs for ladies, 12cts. at Scowdrick & Cochran's.

A new invoice of Percale, Prints, White Goods, Silks, Black Silk, Fringes, &c. at Hanson Bros.

Go to Hanson Bros. and get a cheap and good suit of clothes.

AFRICAN WINE.—It is not generally known that Cape Colony produces the most delicious wine grown on the face of the earth. A cargo received at a remittance by our neighbors Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co. contains several varieties raised there, among which the Constance commands the highest price of any wine in the world. Almost the entire crop of it is consumed in the palaces of Europe; this rare exception being sent to them in exchange for their medicines, which have long been the staple remedies of South Africa. [Boston Journal.]

HANSON BROS. are now opening a full line of Grenadiers in plain blacks, stripes, figures and light colors.

For years been opposed to Calomel, and since 1839 have used Simmons' Liver Regulator as a Vegetable Remedy, and can confidently assert that it has exceeded my expectations, curing cases of Dyspepsia and Liver complaint that were thought almost hopeless. GARNET WOOD, Wood's Factory, Macon, Ga.

HANSON BROS. are the authorized agents of Wannamaker & Brown's celebrated Oak Hall Clothing. They can sell at Philadelphia prices. Fit and quality guaranteed. Now is a rare opportunity to buy cheap clothing.

Winchester genuine preparation of the Hypophosphates of Lime and Soda in 7 oz. bottles \$1. six for \$5.; in 16 oz. bottles \$2. three for \$5. at Chamberlain's Pharmacy, Middletown, Del.

Dahila Plants of a hundred or more of the choicest varieties and colors in pots, at Hester Clayton's, Mt. Pleasant, Del.

Ladies of Middletown and vicinity, are requested to call at Scowdrick & Cochran's and see their handsome stock of white goods and trimmings now opening.

Dot's Washer and Universal Clothes Wringer for Sale by E. T. EVANS.

Genuine Ramsdale Norway Oats, suitable for seed. For Sale at EVANS'.

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Mt. Carmel Locust Mountain Coal, Hickory and Oak Wood, for Sale at Evans' Coal and Wood Yard, Middletown, Del.

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A full line of white P. K.'s at Hanson Bros.

Just received a full line of Ladies, Misses and children's Kid faced buttoned garters direct from the manufacturers at Scowdrick & Cochran's.

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WHITE GOODS!—Wurz Goods!—A full line of Peccy's in satin stripe, card and sea shore stripes, checked and striped cambrics, Percale in variety, white spreads; Marcellis and Honey Comb, a full line of white trimmings, Hamburg and French insertions and edgings, at Hanson Bros. Town Hall.

Carpets, mattings, stair, table, and floor Oil Cloths 4x4 5x6 & 8x4 wide, at Hanson Bros.

Dried and canned fruits at Scowdrick & Cochran's.

Good molasses at 25 cts. per gallon at Scowdrick & Cochran's.

No. 2 Mackerel at \$10 per barrel at Scowdrick & Cochran's.

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Wonders Will Never Cease.

JAMES H. COLLINS has removed to the Watchmaking and Jewelry Shop formerly occupied by C. A. Borquin, on Broad street, and has on hand superior stock of Ladies' & Children's Boots & Shoes,

which he will sell at the lowest cash prices. Gentlemen's fine Calf Skin Boots made to order, and repairing of all kinds promptly attended to. If you don't believe it give him a trial. A patent metal heel, to keep boots and shoes from running down, will be supplied to all who wish to give it a trial. For the best Boots and Shoes of all kinds call on JAMES H. COLLINS, Middletown, Del., April 23—24.

POSTS! POSTS! POSTS!!!

The undersigned will furnish white oak posts of any size desired, to the public at moderate prices. E. R. BURNITE, Henderson, Md. Reference—J. P. COCHRAN, Middletown, Del.

FOR SALE.—A neat and substantial German-town Wagon, suitable for a nice family carriage, at \$85. Call and examine it. J. M. COX & BRO., Middletown.

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A LARGE ASSORTMENT OF SPRING AND SUMMER CLOTHING ON HAND, MADE UP IN THE LATEST STYLE AND BEST MANNER. ALSO, A GREAT VARIETY OF PIECE GOODS, for Order Work.

April 22—ly 228 MARKET ST. WILMINGTON, DEL.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

DEAFNESS BLINDNESS AND CATARRH.—Associated with the above diseases, by J. F. ELIASON, M.D., Practitioner of Diseases of the Ear and Eye (his specialty), (formerly of the Medical College of Philadelphia, 12 years experience), (formerly of Leyden, Holland,) No. 805 Arch street, Phila. Testimonials can be seen at this office. The medical faculty are invited to accompany their patients, as he has no secrets in his practice. Artificial eyes inserted without pain. No charge examination. apr 29—1y

GIBSON'S PRICE CURRENT.

Eggs 15cts. Lard 14cts. Butter 10cts. Hogs 8. Mutton, dressed 12. Horse, olive 10. Ducks 14. Potatoes round 16. Turkeys 16. Feathers 65. Geese 12. Honey 20.

The above prices will be paid in cash for produce delivered in good order; and we wish to say that we keep constantly on hand a good assortment of Groceries and Provisions which we will sell reasonably for cash, at the corner of Broad and Anderson Streets, Middletown, Del. March 20—tf Wm. Z. GIBSON.

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Peninsular Machine Works

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W. H. WANER,

"PEACH KING," OF NEW YORK

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Good Orchards of Peaches

Offered during the ensuing season.

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March 4—tf

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Select Poetry.

HOW TO WOO AND WIN.

BY JOHN G. SAXE.

"Would you play the manly lover,
Said a gray-beard to his son;
'List my list, while I discover
How a maiden should be won.'

Woo her not with boisterous phrases,
Lest you teach her lips to swear;
Still a sinner's warmest praises
In his conduct should appear.

Woo her not with senseless sighing;
Maidens love a laughing eye;
Tell her not you are dying;
Lest she, mocking, bid you die!

Woo her not with weakly whining;
Offer your poverty or pelf,
Lest she answer by declin'g;
Both your sorrows and yourself!

Woo her with a manly wooing;
Giving hostages to Fate;
All the heart's devotion showing
By its strength to work and wait.

Woo her not with idle prattle
Whom you fain would make your wife;
But with proofs that in life's battle
You are equal to the strife.

Like the knight whose simple suing
Won the lady (says the tale);
When, despite their wavy wooing,
All the rest were doomed to fail;

"Lady!" quoth the old knight Arrant,
"Bring me the story I shall tell;
I would wed thee; here's the warrant,
I shall love and serve thee well."

And behold! his dexter fingers
Crush a horse-shoe, like a red!

And within her lap these rings s—
All the gold the twain can need!"

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REGISTER'S ORDER.

REGISTRIES OFFICE.

New Castle County, Feb. 25th, 1871.

Upon the application of Eliza L. Whitley, Executrix of John Whitley, late of St. Georges Hundred in said County, deceased; it is Ordered and directed by the Register that the Executrix aforesaid, give notice of the following Letters Testamentary upon the Estate of John Whitley, deceased, to be opened and read in the presence of the Notary Public, thereto directed, and for which the documents are to be posted within forty days from the date of such Letters in six of the most public places of the County of Kent, requiring all persons having demands against the Estate, to present the same, or alike by an Act of Assembly in such case made and provided. And also cause the same to be inserted within the same period in the Middle Town Transcript, and in any newspaper printed in Middletown, and to be continued therein two months.

Given under the hand and Seal of Office of the Register aforesaid, at New Castle, in New Castle County aforesaid, the day and year above written.

B. GIBBS, Register.

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